

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Our Docket No.: 14451.01

First Named Inventor: Bryan J. Root

Title: Shielded Probe Apparatus for Probing Semiconductor Wafer.

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

1. ☒ Fee Calculation Sheet
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status
3. ☒ Specification Total Pages: 17
 - ☒ Descriptive title of the invention
 - ☒ Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - ☐ Statement Re: Fed. Sponsored R&D
 - ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - ☒ Background of the Invention
 - ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
 - ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings
 - ☒ Detailed Description
 - ☒ Claims
 - ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawings (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets: 6
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration Total Pages:
 - a. ☒ Newly Executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 19 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELECTION OF INVENTORS
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 C.F.R. 1.76)
7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(If applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statement verifying identify of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
10. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
11. ☒ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Submission
12. ☒ Power of Attorney
13. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
(with Copies of Citations as necessary)
14. ☐ Preliminary Amendment Total Pages:
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
17. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
(Should be specifically itemized)
18. ☒ Other
 - ☒ Check No. 958363 for \$ 415.00
 - ☐ Copy of Power of Attorney from prior application
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CONTINUATION APPLICATIONS

19. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:
 - ☐ Continuation
 - ☐ Division
 - ☐ Continuation-in-Part (CIP)

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No. _____, filed _____
and also claims priority from _____, dated _____

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

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Sir:

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1. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above, a copy of which is attached.

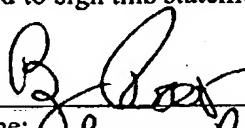
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of Celadon Systems, Inc.

Dated: 26 June 2003

Signature: 

Name: Bryan Root
Title: President & CEO